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SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY
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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether a new Science and Technology Policy is under formulation in view of needs of 21st century;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the policy to be formulated and implemented?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a) Yes, sir.

(b) to (c) On the basis of an extensive process of consultation at the national level with scientists, technical professionals, academics, social scientist, Administrator and other persons of eminence, a draft document has been prepared for the consideration of appropriate level in the Government for adoption and approval.